REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Group Art Unit	2183
Examiner Name	Eric Coleman
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This is a request for continued Examination (RCE) under CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995 or to any design application. See instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.					
1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.1114					
a. Previously submitted i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.1116 previously filed on (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered) ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief previously filed on iii. Other					
b. 🖾 Enclosed i. 🖾 Amendment iii. 🗌 Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) ii. 🗍 Affidavit(s)/Declaration iv. 🗍 Other					
2. Miscellaneous					
a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103C for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 VFR 1.17(i) required)					
b. Other					
3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.					
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Docket:	MIPS.0171-00-US	Art Unit:	2183	
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Title:	CLUSTERING STREAM AND/OR INSTRUCTION QUEUES FOR MULTI-STREAMING PROCESSORS			

AMENDMENT B

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Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Office action of March 24, 2004, with a period of response set to expire June 24, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A Petition for Extension of Time (three months) is attached hereto which if granted will extend the period for response to September 24, 2004. This amendment is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).